

### REMARKS

Applicant respectfully requests allowance of the subject application.

### Election/Restriction

The Office Action sets forth a restriction requirement under 35 U.S.C. §121, and requires the election of one of the following groups for prosecution on the merits:

- I. Species I, Fig. 10.
- II. Species II, Fig. 11.
- III. Species III, Fig. 12.

Applicant respectfully elects Species III, claims 1-4 and 6-41, without traverse.

**Conclusion**

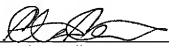
Favorable consideration and an early notice of allowance are respectfully requested. If any issue remains unresolved that would prevent allowance of this case, **the Examiner is requested to contact the undersigned attorney to resolve the issue.**

Respectfully submitted,

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